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Date	October 24, 2003

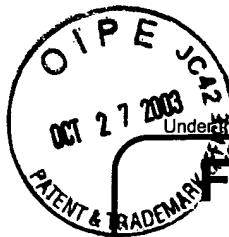
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Application Number	10/660,862
Filing Date	September 12, 2003
First Named Inventor	Yulun Wang
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Attorney Docket No.	157438-0007

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1. BASIC FILING FEE

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1001	750	2001	375	375	Utility filing fee		
1002	330	2002	165	165	Design filing fee		
1003	520	2003	260	260	Plant filing fee		
1004	750	2004	375	375	Reissue filing fee		
1005	160	2005	80	80	Provisional filing fee		
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
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1202	18	2202	9	9	Claims in excess of 20		
1201	84	2201	42	42	Independent claims in excess of 3		
1203	280	2203	140	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid		
1204	84	2204	42	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent		
1205	18	2205	9	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent		
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1051	130	2051	65	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath		
1052	50	2052	25	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet		
1053	130	1053	130	130	Non-English specification		
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
1251	110	2251	55	55	Extension for reply within first month		
1252	410	2252	205	205	Extension for reply within second month		
1253	930	2253	465	465	Extension for reply within third month		
1254	1,450	2254	725	725	Extension for reply within fourth month		
1255	1,970	2255	985	985	Extension for reply within fifth month		
1401	320	2401	160	160	Notice of Appeal		
1402	320	2402	160	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
1403	280	2403	140	140	Request for oral hearing		
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
1452	110	2452	55	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable		
1453	1,300	2453	650	650	Petition to revive - unintentional		
1501	1,300	2501	650	650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
1502	470	2502	235	235	Design issue fee		
1503	630	2503	315	315	Plant issue fee		
1460	130	1460	130	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
1807	50	1807	50	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)		
1806	180	1806	180	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
8021	40	8021	40	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
1809	750	2809	375	375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))		
1810	750	2810	375	375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))		
1801	750	2801	375	375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
1802	900	1802	900	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application		

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Yulun Wang, et el.

Application No.: 10/660,862

Filed: September 12, 2003

For: **A HEALTHCARE TELE-ROBOTIC
SYSTEM WHICH ALLOWS PARALLEL
REMOTE STATION OBSERVATION**

Examiner: Unknown

Art Group: Unknown

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The applicant would like to file the following preliminary amendment for the above-entitled application.

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.